The University of St. Mary of the Lake, home of the major seminary of the Archdiocese of Chicago, is located in Mundelein, Illinois, approximately 35 miles north of O'Hare International Airport. Founded in 1921 by George Cardinal Mundelein, the University is situated on a 1000 acre wooded tract, complete with walking trails and a two hundred acre lake.

**Facilities:**
- Private Rooms with individual bathrooms and linens provided
- Chapel for daily Mass and prayer
- Dining Hall adjacent to Residences and Conference Halls

**Amenities Included in Conference Fees:**
- Private Room and Bath
- All meals and refreshments at breaks and evening socials
- Return transportation to O'Hare International Airport. PLEASE NOTE: The bus will leave at 11:00 am on Friday, July 23. Please schedule any return flights no earlier than 2:00 pm if you plan to utilize this service. If you schedule an earlier flight, you will be responsible for return transportation to the airport

**Directions to the University of St. Mary of the Lake:**

**From O'Hare International Airport**

**From North/Milwaukee**
Take I-94 EAST towards CHICAGO/INDIANA. Exit at ILLINOIS ROUTE-21/MILWAUKEE AVE. Turn RIGHT (south) onto RT. 21/MILWAUKEE AVE. Turn RIGHT onto 176/MAPLE AVE.

**From Chicago (and Midway Airport)**

**From ROUTE 176 (MAPLE AVE.)**
continue for about three miles. Enter the Seminary main entrance on the RIGHT. Keep LEFT to the Center for Development in Ministry (CDM) parking.

Ground Transportation from O'Hare Airport and Midway Airport is available from Northshore Limo Service. Please contact Northshore at 800-543-0037 for arrangements and reservations.

All major rental car companies offer service from both airports. Parking is available on the Seminary Grounds free of charge.

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**Diocesan Archives & Records:**

Preserving the Past, Embracing the Future

The Association of Catholic Diocesan Archivists Biennial Conference

July 23 - 27, 2018
University of St. Mary of the Lake
Mundelein, Illinois
Dioceses must constantly attempt to manage their active records more effectively, preserve their historical records more accurately, and provide access to their collections. To address these needs, the Association of Catholic Diocesan Archivists is pleased to announce its biennial conference entitled:

**Diocesan Archives & Records: Preserving the Past, Embracing the Future**

The conference will be held at the University of St. Mary of the Lake in Mundelein, Illinois (near Chicago), from:

**July 23 to July 27, 2018**

Through workshops and seminars, experts in their respective fields will address issues of interest to both the novice and advanced archivists, as well as Chancellors and Vice-Chancellors.

Participants will explore the following topics: introduction to archives and basic records management; managing archives; engaging your diocesan community; managing photograph and audiovisual collections; underrepresented communities in diocesan archives; canon law, policymaking & the archives; sacramental and clergy personnel records; advocacy; digital preservation, curation; and managing e-mail.

**Workshops:**
- Introduction to Diocesan Archives and Records Management
- Chancellor's Day— exploring policy-writing, sacramental and clergy personnel records

**Educational Sessions:**
- Understanding Underrepresented Communities in Diocesan Archives
- Digital preservation & curation
- Effectively managing volunteers, interns
- Engaging your diocesan community, advocacy & more!

**Panel Discussion:**
- Ask the Experienced Archivist

**Speakers Include:**

**Dr. Timothy Meagher - Keynote**
Associate Professor of History & University Archivist – Catholic University of America

**Jessica Bitely**
Preservation Manager
Boston Public Library

**Maria Mazzenga**
Education Archivist
Catholic University of America

**Mark Thiel**
Archivist
Marquette University

**David Miros**
Director
Midwest Jesuit Archives

**Kelly Schmidt**
Research Coordinator
Slavery, History, Memory & Reconciliation Project

**Chris Prom**
Archivist
University of Illinois

**Emilie Leumas**
Director of Archives & Records Center
Archdiocese of New Orleans

**Jac Treanor**
Vice Chancellor for Archives & Records
Diocese of Springfield